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Respectfully submitted,



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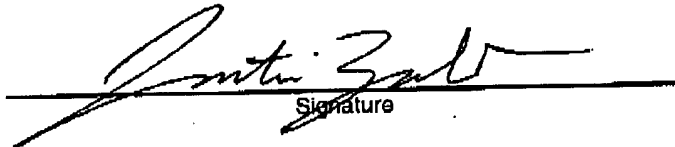
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Applicant(s):	Steven C. Avanzino et al.	Confirmation No.: 7845
Application No.:	10/608,883	Group Art Unit: 2811
Filed:	6/26/2003	Examiner: Unknown
Title:	AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT WITH DIELECTRIC DIFFUSION BARRIER LAYER FORMED BETWEEN INTERCONNECTS AND INTERLAYER DIELECTRIC LAYERS	

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AND INTERLAYER DIELECTRIC LAYERS

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